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the first time, and the first time I have seen it. It is a very large, very pale, yellowish-green, with a few small, dark, irregular spots. It is about 10 cm. long and 5 cm. wide. The leaves are long, narrow, and pointed. The flowers are numerous, small, and yellow. The fruit is a small, round, yellowish-green berry.

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